



RE: Toles Sunoco - Walpole, NH : Unusual Operating Conditions - Summary Report, DES Site #199402012

Daniel, Robert

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Hi Jarrett,

Just giving you an update on where things currently stand. I've been informed that the forensics portion of the EPA study is actually not quite yet ready to begin. That being said, I have provided them some pictures of what appears to be the failed piping section and they are still interested in getting some sections of the piping in the event this failure can be selected for evaluation. To that end, they have provided me a shipping container to pack and send samples back to a lab (in Oklahoma) where they could be temporarily held in the meantime.

When I was out at the site last week, I was informed the piping replacement would likely start next week but am waiting to hear back if the date has been finalized. Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns and thank you again for your cooperation.

-Bob

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From: Daniel, Robert

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Subject: RE: Toles Sunoco - Walpole, NH : Unusual Operating Conditions - Summary Report, DES Site #199402012

Hi Jarrett,

Thank you for the return call this morning regarding the failed piping at the subject location. As we discussed, the EPA may be interested in getting the failed section of piping for forensic study as it relates to the failure mechanism and biofuels compatibility. For your reference, I've attached a copy of the EPA summary sheet on their general study. We very much appreciate your willingness to cooperate if the EPA finds that the piping failure fits in with their investigation criteria. I'll be sure to let you know once I hear anything back from the EPA.

In the meantime, I have spoken with the installation contractor (Hank LaMountain) for the piping replacement project and he's aware of NH's interest (and EPA's possible interest) in taking a closer look at the piping. It sounds like work at the facility might begin later this week and he indicated he'd let me know exactly when.

Feel free to reply or call with any questions. Thanks again!

-Bob

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Hi Mike,

Thanks for the report. I'm adding it to the digital library so please do not submit it again for upload.

I don't know if any pictures were taken showing the condition of the piping (or "black fungus" observed on the piping). If so, I would be interested in getting a copy of anything as it relates to the piping failure. Particularly when the piping is removed, I would appreciate being notified ahead of time in case I can be present to take a closer look. We'll await the construction plans currently being developed for piping replacement and tank top upgrades. Thanks again!

-Bob

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Hello Bob,

Pursuant to our verbal notification with you on August 1st, we are submitting our summary report for the recent investigations performed as a result of a pump dispenser malfunction at the Toles Sunoco in Walpole, NH. Please call if you have any questions or wish to discuss things further. Also, we were unsure whether the letter report should be uploaded to OneStop; if you would like us to upload the document, please let us know.

Regards,
 Mike

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